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STATE OF NEW JERSEY
DEPARTMENT OF LAW AND PUBLIC
SAFETY
DIVISION OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS
STATE BOARD OF DENTISTRY
DOCKET NO.

In the Matter of)	
ALPHONSE DeLUCA, D.D.S.)	Administrative Action
Licensed to Practice Dentistry in the State of New Jersey)	CONSENT ORDER
)	

This matter was opened to the New Jersey State Board of Dentistry ("Board") upon receipt of a patient complaint from Terri Frickman concerning the dental services rendered to her by Alphonse DeLuca, D.D.S. This dental treatment consisted, in pertinent part, of nineteen units of crown and bridge dentistry. The Board reviewed the—patient's records, the reports of subsequent treating dentists, and acquired further information at an investigative inquiry attended on May 20, 1992, by Dr. DeLuca together with his counsel, John Paul Dizzia, Esq. It appears to the Board that at least seven of the units have open margins and that the design of both the mandibular left bridge and the maxillary bridge was defective resulting in a need by the patient to replace all of the fixed bridge work.

In order to resolve this matter without recourse to formal proceedings and for good cause shown;

IT IS ON THIS 13 DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 1992,

HEREBY ORDERED AND AGREED THAT:

- 1. Dr. DeLuca shall make restitution to the patient in the amount of \$5,510.00 by submitting a certified check or money order made payable to Terri Frickman to the State Board of Dentistry at 124 Halsey Street, Sixth Floor, Newark, New Jersey 07102, no later than the first day of the month following the entry date of this Order.
- 2. Dr. DeLuca shall successfully complete 21 hours of continuing education in basic crown and bridge dentistry and 21 hours of continuing education in basic periodontics. These courses shall be approved by the Board in writing prior to attendance and shall be completed within one (1) year of the entry date of this Order. Dr. DeLuca also shall be required to provide the Board with written proof of successful completion of the required course work.

Jerome Horowitz, D.D.S.

President

State Board of Dentistry

I have read and understand the within Order and agree to be bound by its terms. Consent is hereby given to the Board to enter this Order.

Alphonse DeLuca, D.D.S.